

REMARKS

This responds to the Office Action dated May 3, 2011.

No claims have been amended, canceled or added in this response; as a result, claims 1-3, 7, 9-12 and 14-30 remain pending in this application.

Double Patenting Rejection

Claims 1-3, 7, 9-12, 14-30 have been rejected on the ground of nonstatutory obviousness-type double patenting as being unpatentable over claims 1-2 of U.S. Patent No.7,138,111 ('111).

Claims 1-3, 7, 9-12, 14-30 have been rejected on the ground of nonstatutory obviousness-type double patenting as being unpatentable over claims 1, 4-6, 9, 10, 22 of U.S. Patent No. 6,524,565('565).

Applicant does not admit that claims are obvious in view of U.S. Patent No. 7,138,111 or U.S. Patent No. 6,524,565.. A Terminal Disclaimer in compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.321(b) is being submitted to obviate these grounds of rejection.

CONCLUSION

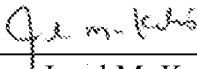
Applicant respectfully submits that the claims are in condition for allowance, and notification to that effect is earnestly requested. The Examiner is invited to telephone Applicant's representative at (612) 373-6976 to facilitate prosecution of this application.

If necessary, please charge any additional fees or deficiencies, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 19-0743.

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